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This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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In re Application of:

Lee E. Cannon

Serial No.: 09/932,741

Filed: August 17, 2001

For: CLASS OF FEATURE EVENT GAMES
SUITABLE FOR LINKING TO MULTIPLE
GAMING MACHINES

Examiner: Unknown

Group Art Unit: 3711

Attorney Docket No.: 4657US (300-015)

NOTICE OF EXPRESS MAILING

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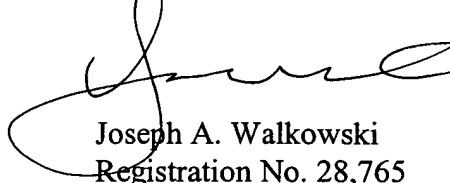
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Sir:

Enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, along with a Preliminary Amendment with Appendix A (containing paragraphs [0001] through [0091]), Appendix B (containing paragraphs [0001] through [0091]), Appendix C (containing currently pending claims 1 through 63), and Appendix D (containing amended claims 1, 4, 8, 11, 15-20, 22, 24, 25, 29, 30, 32-36, 39, 42, 44, 48, 56-58, 61 and 63) and Letter to the Chief Draftsman and attached revised drawings with annotations in red (4 sheets, 4 figures), Transmittal of Formal Drawings, and Formal Drawings which are required in connection with the above-referenced application.

These drawings are being filed within two (2) months from the mailing date of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any required fees to TraskBritt Deposit Account no. 20-1469.

Respectfully submitted,



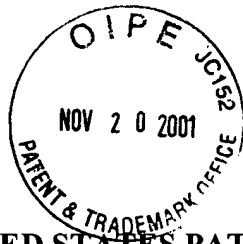
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Enclosures: Copy of Notice To File Corrected Application Papers
Preliminary Amendment (3 pages) with Appendix A, Appendix B, Appendix C,
and Appendix D
Letter to the Chief Draftsman (2 pages) and attached revised drawings with
annotations in red (4 sheets, 4 figures)
Transmittal of Formal Drawings (1 page)
Formal Drawings (16 sheets, 18 figures)

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TRANSMITTAL OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

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Attached please find the formal drawings for this application.

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LETTER TO THE CHIEF DRAFTSMAN

Box Amendment - Non Fee
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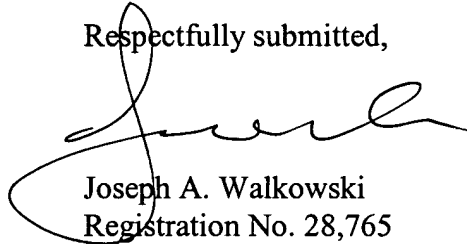
Sir:

Applicant submits herewith revised FIGS. 1, 6, 10 and 15 which correct errors in the drawings. Specifically, FIG. 1 has been revised to add the reference numeral 20 with appropriate lead line; FIG. 6 has been revised to add the reference numeral 106a with appropriate lead line; FIG. 10 has been revised to add the reference numeral 210 with appropriate lead line; and FIG. 15 has been revised to add the reference numeral 302 with appropriate lead lines. Attached is a copy of the drawings with the proposed changes marked in red.

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No new matter has been added. Approval of the proposed revisions is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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